

# Adams County

## Population Fact Sheet

The County Compared to Wisconsin Averages from the U.S. Census, 2000

Adams County: Population and Change since 1990						
	County: 2000 Census		STATEWIDE	County: Change since 1990		STATEWIDE
	Number	% of Total	% of Total	Number	% Change	% Change
Total, All Ages	18,643			2,961	18.9%	9.6%
Persons 60 +	5,320	28.5%	16.9%	1,086	25.6%	5.5%
Persons 65 +	3,903	20.9%	13.1%	869	28.6%	7.9%
Persons 85 +	327	1.8%	1.8%	113	52.8%	28.7%

Race and Racial Differences in Age	Adams County	STATEWIDE
Percent of 60+ population that is white:	99.1%	95.9%
Percent of 65+ population that is white:	99.2%	96.4%
Percent of 85+ population that is white:	99.1%	97.7%
Median age for all races:	44.5 years	36.0 years
Median age for whites:	44.9 years	37.6 years
Median age for African Americans:	32.5 years	25.4 years
Median age for Native Americans:	28.5 years	27.3 years
Median age for Asians:	37.0 years	22.9 years
Median age for Hispanics:	21.0 years	22.8 years

	Adams County		Statewide
Living Arrangements and Housing Units	Number	Percent	Percent
People age 65+ living in family households	2,756	70.6%	61.2%
People 65+ in family households who are householder or spouse	2,603	94.4%	92.7%
People 65+ in family households, living in their child's household	76	2.8%	4.0%
People 65+ and living alone	906	23.2%	29.5%
People 65+ living in nursing homes	95	2.4%	5.4%
People 65+ living in noninstitutional group quarters	37	0.9%	1.6%
Households in the county, total	7,900	--	--
Households with one or more members age 65+	2,671	33.8%	23.0%
Housing units with householder 65+ that are owner-occupied	2,250	90.3%	75.0%
Housing units with householder 65+ that are rented	242	9.7%	25.0%
Housing units with householder 85+ that are owner-occupied	142	75.5%	57.5%
Housing units with householder 85+ that are rented	46	24.5%	42.5%

**Source:** U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census and Census 2000, Summary File 1.  
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